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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/783,662

Confirmation No. : 7233

Applicant : Peter C. Salmon

Filed : February 20, 2004

Attorney Docket No. : 34091/US

Art Unit : 2823

Customer No. : 32,940

Examiner : Sheila V. Clark

Title : COPPER-FACED MODULES, IMPRINTED COPPER CIRCUITS, AND THEIR APPLICATION TO SUPERCOMPUTERS

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

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Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a.  Submission previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - iii.  Consider the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

- b.  Submission enclosed
- i.  Amendment/Reply
  - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

**2. Suspension of Action** (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of    months.

**3. Accompanying Papers**

- Postcard
- Check
- Fee Transmittal Sheet
- Petition

**4. Deposit Account**

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1266.

Respectfully submitted,

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET (FY 2008)

 Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)

**METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)**

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and 1.136(a)(3) and credit any over payments to Deposit Account No. 50-1266;  
Deposit Account Name: DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP.

Check Enclosed.

**Extra Claim Fees**

Current Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee	Fee Paid
Total      27	-      36	=      0	x      \$ 25	=      \$ 0
Ind.      8	-      10	=      0	x      \$ 105	=      \$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claims			x      \$	=      \$
			<b>Subtotal (Extra Claims)</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>

**Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), & (h)**

Enclosed is a Petition filed under 37 CFR as indicated below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f)	Fee \$400
§ 1.53(e) to accord a filing date.	
§ 1.57(a) to accord a filing date.	
§ 1.182 for decision on a question not provided for.	
§ 1.183 to suspend the rules.	
§ 1.378(e) for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing delayed payment of maintenance fee in expired patent.	
§ 1.174(b) to accord a filing date to an application under §1.740 for extension of patent term.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g)	Fee \$200
§ 1.12 for access to an assignment record.	
§ 1.14 for access to an application.	
§ 1.47 for filing by other than all inventors or person not the inventor.	
§ 1.59 for expungement of information.	
§ 1.103(a) to suspend action in an application.	
§ 1.136(b) for review of a request for ext. of time when §1.136(a) not avail.	
§ 1.295 for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.	
§ 1.296 to withdraw a req. for pub. after notice of intent to publish issued.	
§ 1.377 for review of decision refusing to accept a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.	
§ 1.550(c) for request for ext. of time in <u>ex parte</u> reexam. proceedings.	
§ 1.956. for request for ext. of time in <u>ex parte</u> reexam. proceedings.	
§ 5.12 for expedited handling of foreign filing license.	
§ 5.15 for changing the scope of a license.	
§ 5.25 for retroactive license.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h)	Fee \$130
§ 1.19(g) to request documents in a form other than provided in this part.	
§ 1.84 for accepting color drawings or photographs.	
§ 1.91 for entry of a model or exhibit.	
§ 1.102(d) to make an application special.	
§ 1.138(c) to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.	
§ 1.313 to withdraw an application from issue.	
§ 1.314 to defer issuance of a patent.	

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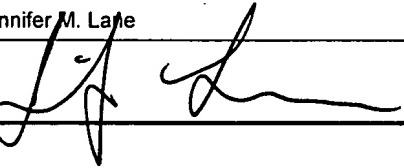
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